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The amendment filed on 25 May 2005 amended both base claims such that all claims are now drawn to a non-elected invention is non-responsive (MPEP § 821.03). The remaining claims are not readable on the elected invention because the original claims were considered to have a black matrix with a single central opening per dependent claims 3 and 12. Please also note that this caused the recitation "a black matrix defining each pixel" in prior versions of the claims to be considered a plurality of black matrices such that at least one black matrix defined at least some portion of each pixel, e.g., a gate line defining a portion of a row of pixels per prior base claim recitations. In other words, the originally presented claims were drawn to a plurality of black matrices, one of which had a single opening that caused the first row opening ratio to be different from the other rows (one opening affecting an entire row of pixels). Amending the claims to read on a new species wherein the opening ratio is changed by reducing the size of a plurality of black matrix openings (either in a single black matrix or in a plurality of black matrices) is a new non-elected species. Entry of the present amendment would result in no claims at all, drawn to the species constructively elected by original presentation.

Since the above-mentioned amendment appears to be a bona fide attempt to reply, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this notice within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) ARE AVAILABLE.

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